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Respectfully submitted,

  
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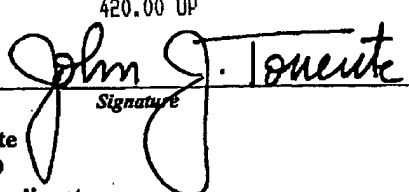
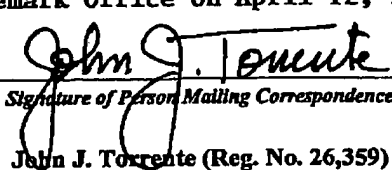
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| <b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b><br>(Large Entity)  |                             |                         | Docket No.<br>B422-148 |  |
| In Re Application Of: Naohiro Isshiki  |                             |                         |                        |  |
| Serial No.<br>09/847,257   | Filing Date<br>May 2, 2001. | Examiner<br>Tung S. Lau | Group Art Unit<br>2863 |  |
| Invention: <b>CHARGE PROCESS UPON EFFECTING PREDETERMINED PROCESS BY USING PLURAL DATA PROCESSING APPARATUS, AND DATA PROCESSING APPARATUS USED THEREFOR</b>   |                             |                         |                        |  |
| <u>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>  |                             |                         |                        |  |
| <p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>November 12, 2003</u> above-identified application.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Date</i></p> <p>The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):</p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> One month              <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months              <input type="checkbox"/> Three months              <input type="checkbox"/> Four months              <input type="checkbox"/> Five months       </p> <p>         from: <u>February 12, 2004</u>      until: <u>April 12, 2004</u> </p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Date</i>      <i>Date</i></p> <p>The fee for the extension of time is \$420 and is to be paid as follows:</p> <p> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.<br/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1644<br/> <input type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 18-1644       </p> |                             |                         |                        |  |
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